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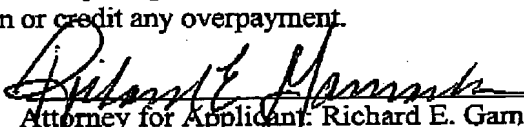
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In re application of: **Christopher J. Duguay, et al.**
 Entitled: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING AN SMBUS/PC INTERFACE ON A NETWORK INTERFACE CARD**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

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